

School Board

★2002 General Election Ballot★

QUALIFICATIONS: (Florida Statutes 230.10)

Qualified elector of the district at the time of qualifying.

DISTRICTS TO BE ELECTED:

District	Incumbent
2	Solomon C. "Sol" Stinson
4	Perla Tabares-Hantman
5	Frank Bolanos**
6	Manty Sabates Morse
8	Marta Perez

TYPE OF ELECTION: Nonpartisan

ELECTION AREA: District Area

TERM: Four years

Reference: Florida Statutes 100.041(3)(a) and 230.05

*Election for the remainder of the term of office – will be on ballot in 2004 for a 4-year term. ***

SALARY: \$37,177.00**

ELECTION DATES: September 10, 2002 – First Primary
November 5, 2002 – General Election

QUALIFYING REQUIREMENTS, FEES AND FORMS

Qualifying for county office begins noon, Monday, July 22, 2002 - noon, Friday, July 26, 2002*

Reference: Florida Statutes 105.031

Regular Qualifying Method (Section 99.061, F. S.)

During the qualifying period the following must be submitted to the Miami-Dade Elections Department.

1. Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository (Form DS-DE 9). A Statement of Candidate (Form DS-DE 84) must be filed within 10 days of filing the Appointment.
2. Loyalty Oath and Oath of Candidate (Form DS-DE 24B)
3. Financial Disclosure (Form 6, Full and Public Disclosure of Financial Interests) along with any other forms applicable.
4. Pay qualifying fee, which is 4% of annual salary as of July 1, 2002 for no party affiliation candidates. Check made payable to Board of County Commissioners in the amount of **\$1,487.08**.

Alternative Method of Qualifying (Section 105.035, F. S.)

During the qualifying period the following must be submitted to the Miami-Dade Elections Department:

1. Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository (Form DS-DE 9). A Statement of Candidate (Form DS-DE 84) must be filed within 10 days of filing the Appointment.
2. Loyalty Oath, Oath of Candidate and Statement of Party (Form DS-DE 24B.)
3. Financial Disclosure (Form 6, Full and Public Disclosure of Financial Interests) along with any other forms applicable.
4. Petition signatures of 1% of the total registered electors in the geographical area of candidacy. For the required number of signatures, see page 3.

If the candidate is unable to collect the required number of signatures he or she may still pay the qualifying fee.

* includes write-in qualifying

*Salaries and qualifying fees may be subject to change. Salary quoted is most recent figure available. The annual salary of the office for the purposes of computing the qualifying fee shall be the salary of such office as of July 1st immediately preceding the first day of qualifying.

WHO CAN SIGN PETITIONS

Any registered elector in the geographical area of candidacy may sign a petition.

WHERE TO OBTAIN PETITIONS

Petition forms (Form DS-DE 104) may be obtained from the Miami-Dade Elections Department beginning January 9, 2002 through June 28, 2002, by filing the Alternative Method Affidavit (Form DS-DE 15) with the Miami-Dade Elections Department prior to collecting petitions between January 9, 2002 and June 28, 2002.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING PETITIONS

No later than noon, July 1, 2002 – Candidates must submit petitions for verification to the Miami-Dade Elections Department. There is a 10 cents per name fee for verifying signatures, which must be paid upon submission petitions, or the candidate may file an undue burden oath with the supervisor of elections in each county in which petitions are submitted to waive the cost of verification.

July 19, 2002 – Supervisors of elections must certify the number of valid signatures to Division of Elections.

WRITE-IN METHOD (Section 99.061, F. S.)

During the qualifying period the following must be submitted to the Miami-Dade Elections Department.

1. Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository (Form DS-DE 9). A Statement of Candidate (Form DS-DE 84) must be filed within 10 days of filing the Appointment.
2. Loyalty Oath and Oath of Candidate for Write-in Candidates (Form DS-DE 24A)
3. Financial Disclosure (Form 6, Full and Public Disclosure of Financial Interests) along with any other forms applicable.
4. No qualifying fee required.

A blank space will be provided on the general election ballot for names of write-in candidates to be written in.

**2002 Petition Signature Requirements
By District for Miami-Dade County School Board
Registered Voters as of October 10, 2000**

District #	# Registered Voters in District	1%
1	94,524	945
2	85,974	860
3	101,715	1,017
4	100,708	1,007
5	83,567	836
6	95,212	952
7	134,913	1,349
8	103,162	1,032
9	97,137	971